

## WILL MAKE SEVIER A SPOTLESS CAMP

Government Determined to  
Protect Health of the  
Soldiers.

Greenville, S. C., March 18.—All places of business at Camp Sevier and Paris have been closed and a general cleaning up was started by the health authorities of the government. All soldiers and civilians are prohibited from appearing on the streets until they are placed in a sanitary condition. All restaurants, soda, fountain and barber shops will remain closed until they meet certain sanitary conditions that the authorities have demanded to prevail wherever soldiers visit. None will be excepted and all must operate according to prescribed rules. These actions plainly show the intent of the government to protect the health of soldiers.

Col. R. B. McBride, chief of staff, Third division, at Camp Sevier, who has just returned from the western front, stated today that the men of Sevier have far more snap and alertness about them than when he went away, and that they appear to be in the very best of condition generally. He says the most cheerful of the boys "over there" are the ones in the front line trenches, and that all American soldiers in France were very cheerful and in excellent condition. He describes the climate as only slightly colder than this and that there is very little sickness among the men.

## BRITISH LABOR WAR AIMS MEET WITH APPROVAL

New York, March 18.—Formal approval of the war aims announced by British labor, Dec. 23, and endorsed later by the Inter-Allied labor conference at London, was contained in a manifesto issued here yesterday by President Sidney Hillman and Secretary Joseph Schlossberg, of the Amalgamated Clothing Workers of America.

The union has approximately 100,000 members in the various clothing manufacturing centers of the country. It is independent of the American Federation of Labor and is regarded as the most powerful radical union in the United States. Its manifesto reaffirms its support of America's war on militarism and welcomes delegates from French, British, Italian and Belgian labor and socialist organizations who are on their way here as representatives of the inter-Allied labor conference.

## LENINE'S PEACE EFFORT OPPOSED IN VAIN

Moscow, March 18.—The all-Russian congress of soviets has ratified the peace agreement with Germany by a large majority.

A bolshevik resolution approving the acts of the government of the workers' and soldiers' delegates and of the peace delegation and calling for organization of the defense of the country by the creation of a national army of both sexes was passed after Lenin's restoration of peace among the warring factions and his statement that this action was the only way out, intimating that the treaty might be broken under changed circumstances. The opposition, notably the social revolutionaries of the left, made a valiant but futile effort to prevent the acceptance of the treaty, which was characterized by the minister of justice as "antirevolutionary and antiaustrian."

## HAIR LITTLE GIRL GAVE TO HELP WIN THE WAR



This photograph shows Miss Anna Fitzu, of the Chicago Grand Opera company, and the beautiful hair which little Margaret Lawrence, aged 9, of Meridian, Miss., sacrificed to help win the war. The girl sent her hair to Miss Fitzu to sell, so she could buy war savings stamps.

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## OFFICIAL PROBE INTO DISTRICT BOARD'S WORK

Officers Representing Crowder  
and Department of Justice  
Will Investigate.

Washington, March 18.—Complaints from Tennessee, and particularly East Tennessee, as to alleged arbitrary action of local district boards in overruling exemption claims in administering the draft law, has resulted in an investigation being instituted by the government to determine the justice of the protests.

An army officer, representing the provost marshal-general, has been sent to Tennessee, together with a representative of the department of justice.

East Tennessee has been prolific of complaints. On allegation lodged with the Washington authorities is that something like 1,500 appeals were summarily disposed of by the district board for East Tennessee at a recent sitting at Knoxville. The protests claim that proper consideration could not have been given to the affidavits and voluminous papers filed in their cases in the short time the board had the cases under advisement.

Congressman Austin has led the fight for Packard organization and whether such claims are well founded is to be determined by a full investigation. Both sides of the matter will be gone into. Not only will the action of the district board be probed, but the department of justice will establish the truth or falsity of some of the sworn statements supporting exemption claims.

The provost marshal-general's office declined to make any statement about the matter pending the report of the investigations.

Some sections of the state allegations have been made that personal and political enmity biased the decisions of some of the local boards. A number of this character will be probed.

It is the purpose of the government to have a fair administration of the selective draft law and where injustice is shown to have been done any individual or local district board rectification will be made.

Representative Austin is reported to have transmitted a number of protests from citizens of the second district.

## German Prisoners Aiding Bolsheviki

Harbin, Manchuria, March 11.—(Monday)—Released German prisoners are co-operating with the bolsheviks in Serbia in the campaign against the forces of Gen. Semenov, leader of the nonbolsheviks. Wounded soldiers of Gen. Semenov's command say that in a battle on March 1, they were fired upon by former German prisoners attached to the bolshevik forces. It is estimated 200 Germans took part in the fighting. One wounded soldier claims Gen. Semenov's troops have netted the armed Germans in hand-to-hand combat.

## Kaiser Trying to Win Support of Persians

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(Special Cable Dispatch to the World.)  
London, March 15.—In Germany's drive for Persia, which she is attempting to reach by way of Odessa, her trump card is to try to win the adherence of Persian leaders antagonistic to the former Russian bureaucracy, which, because of domineering behavior, has left a heritage of hate behind it.

Information to this effect reached the World correspondent today from American sources well informed as to the situation in Persia.

Among the Persian leaders Germany is hoping to ensnare are some of the staunchest supporters of W. Morgan Shuster, the American, who was treasurer-general and financial adviser to Persia from May, 1911, to January, 1912, and who was the center of an international storm at that time and finally was forced to leave, principally because of Russian bureaucratic pressure on Persia.

## CAPTAIN OF FLYING CORPS HAS ACCIDENT

La Guardia, New York Congressman, Unable to Address Meetings in Italy.

Rome, Friday, March 15.—Capt. Fiorenzo H. La Guardia, of the American flying corps, probably will be unable to address meetings at Turin and Genoa, as planned, owing to injuries received in an aerial accident. The extent of his injuries are not as yet known.

Capt. La Guardia, who represents the Fourteenth New York district in the house of representatives, has been in Europe since last year principally in Italy. The congressman has addressed meetings in Milan and Rome, where he was received enthusiastically by the Italians.

## NEW ORLEANS PULLS HARD FOR WILLARD FIGHT

Chicago, March 18.—Col. J. C. Miller, who has undertaken to promote a fight July 4 between Jess Willard and Fred Fulton, is here today for the purpose of taking up with Mike Collins, manager for Fulton, further details of the arrangements for the contest.

Col. Miller could not say today when he expected to meet Fulton's representatives, but said he hoped to settle all details this week with the possible exception of the site. It is said an offer of a purse of \$105,000 had been made by a New Orleans promoter for the fight.

Willard, who is at his home here, expressed satisfaction with the progress of negotiations so far.

## TOTES PISTOL FOR PROTECTION FROM WILD JURY WOMEN

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and Department of Justice  
Will Investigate.



Miss Hazel Riley, first woman ballist in the country, is taking no chances. "Her duty," says our Oakland, Cal., correspondent, "is to help guard women jurors while they deliberate. She must accompany them to and from meals and do sentry duty in hotel corridors when they are locked up for the night. She is armed with a .32-calibre revolver and handcuffs for protection." If the implication is justified, we hereby take back whatever we may have said in favor of equal suffrage in our unguarded moments.

development of the Liberty motor, said Mr. Hare, followed three years of work by the Packard organization and an expenditure of it of some \$500,000. Despite this fact, the Packard company withdrew its name from the motor and gave it over to the government to further its war plans, he said. At the time the Liberty motor was taken over by the government, Mr. Hare said, an agreement existed between the company and Col. E. A. Deeds, then chairman of the aircraft production board, to the effect that the identity of the producer of the motor should not be revealed.

## \$300,000 MAY BE SPENT AT CAMP FORREST

Rumored That Larger Water  
Supply Is Needed—Green's  
Lake Considered.

Though no definite announcements have yet been made and no details given out for publication, it is understood on good authority that an auxiliary source of water supply is being considered for Chickamauga. This is probably based upon a plan of even greater concentration of troops there than now. The water supply under existing conditions is said to be adequate.

According to the meager details available, two pipe lines are being considered, one to be selected. One of these would carry a supply to Chickamauga from Coffee springs, a distance of approximately two and one-half miles. The other is to pipe water to the park from Green's lake, two miles away. The feasibility of running the main along the road or across country is under consideration. Nothing is to be under consideration. Nothing is available as to the quantity of water that could be obtained.

Asked for details in this connection, Maj. Shute, constructing quartermaster for the park, stated that he could say nothing until he heard from Washington.

Rumors have been current that the contract to be let soon and that the cost of construction will be in the neighborhood of \$300,000.

## How to Avoid Stomach Troubles.

Digestion begins in the mouth. Food should be thoroughly masticated. Your food should be suited to your age and occupation. People of sedentary habit should eat little meat, but should drink an abundance of water, especially when they first get up in the morning and between meals. When you feel full and stupid after eating, that shows that you have eaten too much. The bowels should be kept regular. When needed take a dose of Chamberlain's Tablets. They will improve your digestion and move the bowels.—(Adv.)

## SWISS GOVERNMENT DEMANDS INDEMNITY

Wants Germany to Pay for Destruction of Steamer Carrying Wheat From U. S.

Berne, Friday, March 15.—The Swiss government has sent a note to the German government demanding the payment of an indemnity for the destruction of the grain steamer Sardinero. The note also requests a careful investigation of the circumstances by the German authorities.

The Spanish steamer Sardinero, under charter by the Swiss government, was torpedoed Feb. 26. She was conveying 3,000 tons of wheat from the United States. The sinking aroused strong feeling in Switzerland and pro-ally newspapers urged that the bread ration of the German colony in Switzerland be cut as a reprisal.

## BRITISH CASUALTY LIST NUMBERS 3,562

London, Thursday, March 14.—The British casualties for the week ending today numbered 3,562. They were divided as follows:

Killed or Died of Wounds—Officers, 52; men, 822.  
Wounded or Missing—Officers, 148; men, 2,532.

In the first week of March the casualties numbered 3,343, the lowest of any week for several months.

## FARMER BOYS READY TO MAKE SACRIFICE

Georgia Shows Its Patriotism  
in Its Young Men of  
the Farms.

(Special to The News.)  
Ringgold, Ga., March 18.—Very few of the agricultural men in Class 1 in this section care to take advantage of the war department's recent ruling placing them at the bottom of the list of their class unless it be the government's explicit ruling. They have placed themselves and their all in the hands of their country, and in complete obedience await their call to the colors.

This ruling of the department has opened their eyes to the important part that food will play in winning the war. They realize now more fully than ever that it will be a potential factor and absolutely essential when its necessity results in an order to retain some of our best fighting men in its production rather than hurry them away to the training camps.

Some of the boys say that they do not desire to use agriculture as a cause for delaying their call to arms, while others who happened to be differently engaged must go, unless the government says they are of more value here.

The farmer girls in some sections of Catoosa county are already planning to take brother's place in the line of producers. These girls are the American Joans of Arc, and would don the uniform if necessary. The part they propose to play is as patriotic as those of their brothers or as those of the boys on the firing line in Flanders. The fathers agree that if Uncle Sam requests their boys to remain on the farm, enabling them thereby to produce larger crops and larger profits, that they will have a conspicuous part in the third liberty loan.

## PRESENCE OF POPE WILL PREVENT DANGER TO ROME

Rome, Italy, March 11.—The Austrian aviators who made the raid on Naples set forth from the city. On their return voyage they passed near Rome, but dropped no bombs. The residents of Rome were instructed to remain indoors with all lights out. At the Vatican the opinion was expressed that Rome would never be bombed, owing to the presence of the pope. The lighting plant at the Vatican remained in operation and the lights in the pope's apartment were not cut off, although it was agreed later that in the event of future raids the current would be stopped.

Catfaro, a Dalmatian port, is about 350 miles from Naples, so that the Austrian raiders, taking a roundabout course on the way home and flying several hundred miles over Italian territory, made a journey of considerably more than 700 miles, one of the longest flights reported in connection with the war. A Naples dispatch last week said the raid was carried out by a dirigible balloon, which dropped bombs at random over the city. Sixteen persons were killed and forty wounded.

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Though Catarrh makes its first appearance in the nostrils, throat and air passages, the disease becomes more and more aggravated and finally reaches down into the lungs, and every one recognizes the alarming condition that results when the lungs are affected. Thus Catarrh may be the forerunner of that most dreaded and hopeless of all diseases, consumption.

No local treatment affords permanent relief. Experience has taught that S. S. S. is the one remedy which attacks the disease at its source, the blood, and produces satisfactory results in even the worst cases. Catarrh sufferers are urged to give S. S. S. a thorough trial. It is sold by all druggists. You are invited to write to the medical department for expert advice as to how to treat your own case. Address: Swift Specific Co., 426 Swift Laboratory, Atlanta, Ga.—(Adv.)

## EAT LESS MEAT IF BACK HURTS

Take a glass of Salts to flush  
Kidneys if bladder bothers  
you.

Eating meat regularly eventually produces kidney trouble in some form or other, says a well-known authority, because the uric acid in meat excites the kidneys, they become overworked, get sluggish, clog up and cause all sorts of distress, particularly backache and misery in the kidney region, rheumatic twinges, severe headaches, acid stomach, constipation, torpid liver, sleeplessness, bladder and urinary irritation.

The moment your back hurts or kidneys aren't acting right, or if bladder bothers you, get about four ounces of Jad Salts from any "good pharmacy"; take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast for a few days and your kidneys will then act fine. This famous salts is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and has been used for generations to flush clogged kidneys and stimulate them to normal activity; also to neutralize the acids in the urine so it no longer irritates, thus ending bladder disorders.

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## HIGHER RATES ON SUGAR FOUND JUSTIFIED

Washington, March 18.—Proposed increase in commodity rates on sugar from New Orleans to Georgia, Tennessee, Kentucky and northern Alabama points today were found justified in a tentative opinion submitted by an interstate commerce commission examiner. The proposed rate would range from 25 to 28 cents per hundred.

## CLAIMS HE DESIGNED NEW LIBERTY MOTOR

New York, March 18.—E. S. Hare, president of the Packard Motor Car company, issued a statement today at the Waldorf-Astoria, claiming for the Packard company credit for the invention of the Liberty motor. The

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